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Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 17,
2000 in relation to the above-identified patent application, please
amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 45-48.

31. (Amended) A tamper evident closure for a container having
a neck defining an open upper end and an annual shoulder extending
about the neck in close proximity to the open upper end thereof,
the tamper evident closure comprising:

a sealing cap attachable to the neck in a manner

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